

PATENT APPLICATION  
Attorney Docket No. D/A3522  
XERZ 2 00678

**DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: HEATER ASSEMBLY INCLUDING THERMAL FUSE

the specification and claims of which

are attached hereto      OR       was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as U.S. Application No. \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign or U.S. Provisional application(s) for patent listed below, and have also identified below any foreign application(s) or Provisional application(s) for patent having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)
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**POWER OF ATTORNEY:** As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the Attorneys associated with Customer No. 027885, and Mark Costello (Reg. No. 31,342), Ronald F. Chapuran (Reg. No. 26,402), Kevin R. Kepner (Reg. No. 32,145), Nola M. McBain (Reg. No. 35,782); Elizabeth F. Harasek (Reg. No. 28,850), Eugene O. Palazzo (Reg. No. 20,881) to prosecute the application identified above, and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under §1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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**ASSIGNMENT**

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The undersigned is/are the named inventor(s) (the "Inventor(s)") on a United States patent application entitled **HEATER ASSEMBLY INCLUDING THERMAL FUSE** (the "Application") for inventions disclosed or claimed therein (the "Invention(s)").

which Application:

- is being executed concurrently herewith,  
 was first executed on \_\_\_\_\_  
 was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as Application Number \_\_\_\_\_  
 claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application(s) No(s). / filed \_\_\_\_\_

Xerox Corporation, a New York Corporation, on behalf of itself, its successors and assigns, and its legal representatives ("Xerox"), is entitled to all rights in the Application and the Invention(s), and the full cooperation of the Inventor(s).

For valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the Inventor(s) hereby sell(s), assign(s), and transfer(s) to Xerox the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in the Application and the Invention(s), in and for the United States, its territories, and all foreign countries, including all applications, patents, design registrations and publications obtained or derived therefrom, world wide, and all priority rights under all present or future conventions and treaties, and any provisional applications for which priority is claimed in the Application; and

- (1) request the U.S. Commissioner of Patents to issue all U.S. Letters Patent granted thereon to Xerox;
- (2) agree that Xerox may apply for and receive all foreign Letters Patent thereon;
- (3) agree to execute all papers and take all actions necessary or desirable in connection therewith requested by Xerox; and
- (4) authorize Xerox to subsequently enter the Application Number on this Assignment, if not already entered above.

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**Amin M. Godil**

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**Larry E. Hindman**

Date \_\_\_\_\_